Summer Literature Assignment 2020-2021
Rising 8th level students
Due Monday, August 17, 2020

Choose two books from SBA's Summer Reading List for 8th level.
You will take TWO AR tests on these books upon returning to school in August.
This summer you will create a digital project for **one of the books read from the list (your choice)**.
This could be 1) a book trailer, 2) a video interview of a character, or 3) an online interactive presentation to showcase your understanding of the story. **No Google Slides!**

You may use presentation software of your choice from the list below:
iMovie or other video platform
Prezi
Glogster
easel.ly
Canva
Book Creator
Screencastifysubmit

Requirements
Please address the following in your presentation:

Plot Summary
Standard: RL.8.2: Provide an objective summary of the text. (No SPOILERS!)

Character Analysis
Standard: RL.8.3: Analyze how particular lines of dialogue or incidents in a story or drama propel the action, reveal aspects of a character, or provoke a decision.

Theme
Standard: RL.8.2: Determine a theme or central idea of a text and analyze its development over the course of the text, including its relationship to the characters, setting, and plot; provide an objective summary of the text.

Point of View
Standard: RL8.6: Analyze how differences in the points of view of the characters and the audience or reader create such effects as suspense or humor.

Speaking & Listening
Standard: SL 8.4: Present . . .in a focused, coherent manner with pertinent descriptions, facts, well-chosen details, and examples; use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume, and clear pronunciation.

Standard: SL8.5: Include multimedia components and visual displays in presentations to clarify information, strengthen claims and evidence, and add interest.

You will be sharing/presenting your project to your literature class during the first week of school. Your project should be brief, between 5 - 7 minutes. It should be well-organized, i.e. *helps audience understand the book*. There should be absolutely NO SPOILERS! The project should be visually pleasing and the information should be presented in an appropriate manner, i.e. eye contact, adequate volume, clear pronunciation.